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VIA ECF

Honorable Esther Salas United States District Judge Lautenberg U.S. Post Office & Courthouse Federal Square Newark, New Jersey 07102

Re: Zinger et al. v. Ben & Jerry's Homemade, Inc. et al, 2:22-cv-01154-ES-JBC

Dear Judge Salas:

This firm is co-counsel, along with Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP, for defendants Ben & Jerry's Homemade, Inc., Unilever United States, Inc., and Conopco, Inc. (collectively, "Defendants") in the above-captioned matter. On May 23, 2022, Plaintiffs filed their Opposition to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss, and they simultaneously filed a Cross-Motion to Stay Litigation Pending Arbitration. (Dkt. 44.) Defendants, whose reply is currently due Tuesday, May 31, 2022, L. Civ. R. 7.1(d)(3), respectfully request a modest one-week extension to file their Reply to Plaintiffs' Opposition and their Response to Plaintiffs' Cross-Motion to Stay to Tuesday, June 7, 2022, which will give Defendants ample time to consider the merits of Plaintiffs' Cross-Motion to Stay. *See* L. Civ. R. 7.1(h). Plaintiffs have consented to this request. The Court previously granted an extension on Defendants' time to answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint while the parties were briefing Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction. (Dkt. 29.)

If the foregoing meets with Your Honor's approval, we respectfully request that the Court "So Order" this letter in the space indicated below. Of course, if Your Honor has any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

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Respectfully submitted,

s/ Jennifer A. Hradil

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So Ordered:

Hon. Esther Salas, U.S.D.J.

May 27, 2022

cc: All Counsel (by ECF)